

For these reasons, by separate order the plaintiff will be ordered to arbitrate his claims and the action will be dismissed without prejudice to any party to seek reinstatement to resolve any issues that may remain after arbitration proceedings. This order will be conditioned on the defendants' agreement to pay the costs associated with such arbitration that may exceed any costs the plaintiff might reasonably expect to incur in this court to litigate his claims.

Done, this 5th of January, 2001.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Edwin Nelson', is written above a horizontal line.

EDWIN NELSON
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE